

I.

The following information is desired for fiscal year 1952:

(1) A list of all newspapers and other publications received on a subscription basis.

(a) List amount paid for each subscription per annum. If subscription less than annual, show payments for period of subscription.

There is attached herewith as Tab A a machine record run of the newspapers and periodicals purchased overtly by CIA in the United States during fiscal year 1952. You will note that the prices paid are included in many instances; however, as we were converting to the use of machine records in 1952, and because of certain clerical problems arising from the fact that bills were not always rendered by the time that the particular machine card was punched, there are some gaps in the attached subscription price information. If necessary, we could put people to work abstracting the remaining price information from the bills rendered and, of course, these records are still available. However, as this would require taking people off their current jobs, and assigning them to this task from areas where we are just keeping abreast of the current work load, we have not prepared this additional information where it is lacking in the machine run. I can assure you, however, that the prices paid for these subscriptions are not out of line, and the great bulk of these publications are secured at the prices stipulated in the General Services Administration price list.

(2) List all newspapers and other publications in which articles and advertising appears for which payments are made.

(a) Indicate the type of articles or advertisement and the amount paid for each publication.

There are no newspapers or periodicals published in the United States in which articles appeared for which CIA made any payments during fiscal year 1952.

During fiscal year 1952, CIA expended  for advertisements which appeared in newspapers throughout the United States. These

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advertisements were small and inserted by our personnel recruiters in certain cities and towns where these recruiters were available for interview. Virtually all of these advertisements were aimed at securing clerical personnel, although in a few instances certain specialized types of personnel were sought.

It would be an extremely time-consuming and costly job to secure from the vouchers submitted for these expenditures the information as to the amount paid for each publication. In each instance it would be the normal advertising rate per line charged by the newspaper concerned.

- (3) List all publications and indicate as to each publication the total amount paid for any and all services, advertising, subscriptions or otherwise during the fiscal year 1952.

Other than as indicated above, there were no such payments by CIA in fiscal year 1952.

## II.

In connection with any feature articles, documentaries, narratives, reports of progress or activities, propaganda, programs (foreign or domestic), list the following:

- (1) Names of publications, news syndicates, free lance writers, columnists, cartoonists, feature writers or other persons or organizations in the field of journalism who have performed services for your department, and also list for each:
- (a) The service or article;
  - (b) The amount of the payment;
  - (c) Expenses including travel and subsistence paid;
  - (d) Circulation and/or printing of such articles or publications at government expense or through government means and the cost thereof.

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During fiscal year 1952 CIA did not expend any funds for feature articles, documentaries, narratives, reports of progress or activities, propaganda, or programs (foreign or domestic) which required payment either directly or indirectly to any publications, news syndicates, free lance writers, columnists, cartoonists, feature writers or other persons or organizations in the field of journalism for any overt services performed for CIA.

III.

Indicate whether for the fiscal year 1952 a special allocation in whole or in part was made in the budget justification or budget allowances for any of the foregoing.

STAT  In connection with fiscal year 1952 CIA budgeted the sum of  for the overt procurement of newspapers and periodicals in the United States. In addition, an allocation of  was made available for purposes of advertising in the personnel recruitment field, and, as indicated above, the sum of  was spent for this purpose. STAT

IV.

Indicate whether for the fiscal year 1953 any special allocation in whole or in part was made in the budget justification or budget allowances for any of the foregoing.

STAT An allocation of  has been included in the CIA budget justification for the overt purchase in the United States of newspapers and periodicals in fiscal year 1953. The sum of  has also been budgeted for advertisements in the personnel recruitment field. STAT